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So the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶68.12 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 2333 AND H.R. 2404

Mr. HALL of Ohio, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 196):

Resolved, That at any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 1(b) of rule XXIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2333) to authorize appropriations for the Department of State, the United States Information Agency, and related agencies, to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs, and for other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. All points of order against consideration of the bill are waived. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Foreign Affairs. After general debate the Committee of the Whole shall rise without motion. No further consideration of the bill shall be in order except pursuant to a subsequent order of the House.

SEC. 2. At any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 1(b) of rule XXIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2404) to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs, and for other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. All points of order against consideration of the bill are waived. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Foreign Affairs. After general debate the Committee of the Whole shall rise without motion. No further consideration of the bill shall be in order except pursuant to a subsequent order of the House.

When said resolution was considered. After debate,

On motion of Mr. HALL of Ohio, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection and under the operation thereof, the resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table

¶68.13 FOREIGN ASSISTANCE AUTHORIZATION

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MURTHA, pursuant to House Resolution 196 and rule XXIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 2404) to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs, and for other purposes.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MURTHA, by unanimous consent, designated Mr. McDERMOTT as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole; and after some time spent therein,

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SAWYER, assumed the Chair.

When Mr. McDERMOTT, Chairman, reported that the Committee, having had under consideration said bill, had come to no resolution thereon.

¶68.14 FOREIGN AID AND STATE DEPARTMENT AUTHORIZATION

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SAWYER, pursuant to House Resolution 196 and rule XXIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 2333) to authorize appropriations for the Department of State, the United States Information Agency, and related agencies, to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs, and for other purposes.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SAWYER, by unanimous consent, designated Mr. MFUME as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

The Acting Chairman, Mr. McDERMOTT, assumed the Chair; and after some time spent therein,

after some time spent therein, The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. HOLDEN, assumed the Chair.

When Mr. McDERMOTT, Acting Chairman, reported that the Committee, having had under consideration said bill, had come to no resolution thereon.

$\P68.15$ Providing for the further consideration of H.R. 2333 and H.R. 2404

Mr. MOAKLEY, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 103–132) the resolution (H. Res. 197) providing for the further consideration of (H.R. 2333) to authorize appropriations for the Department of State, the United States Information Agency, and related agencies, to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs, and for other purposes and the bill (H.R. 2404) to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs, and for other programs, and for other programs.

When said resolution and report were referred to the House Calendar and ordered printed.

¶68.16 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to Mr. HILLIARD, for today from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m.

And then.

¶68.17 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. MOAKLEY, at 9 o'clock, the House adjourned.

¶68.18 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. BROOKS: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 1340. A bill to provide funding for the resolution of failed savings associations, and for other purposes; with amendments (Rept. No. 103–103, Pt. 2). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. DINGELL: Committee on Energy and Commerce. H.R. 2203. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to extend the program of grants regarding the prevention and control of sexually transmitted diseases (Rept. No. 103–131). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HALL of Ohio: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 197. Resolution providing for further consideration of the bill (H.R. 2333) to authorize appropriations for the Department of State, the U.S. Information Agency, and related agencies, to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs, and for other purposes, and for further consideration of the bill (H.R. 2404) to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-132). Referred to the House Calendar.

¶68.19 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. CLEMENT:

H.R. 2413. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide additional authority for the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to provide health care for veterans of the Persian Gulf War; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. EVANS (for himself, Mr. KENNEDY, and Mr. GUTIERREZ):

H.R. 2414. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide priority health care to veterans of the Persian Gulf War who were exposed to environmental hazards; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. MICHEL (for himself and Mr. SMITH of Texas):

H.R. 2415. A bill to amend title 31 of the United States Code to establish government efficiency reserve accounts and to provide for the apportionment of salaries and expenses; jointly, to the Committees on Government Operations and Rules.

By Mr. HINCHEY:

H.R. 2416. A bill to provide for the preservation, interpretation, development, and beneficial use of natural, cultural, historic, and scenic resources that are a source of values important to the people of the United States through a national partnership system of heritage areas; to the Committee on Natural Resources.